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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Guido BIEKER

Serial No. 10/521,361

Confirmation No. 2310

Filed: 14 January 2005

Title: REDUCTION OF TORSIONAL  
VIBRATION IN RAIL VEHICLE  
WHEEL SETS

Group Art Unit: 3617

Examiner: Stormer

Atty. Dkt. No.: 01117.0010.PCUS00

(Note : New reference)

## RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action date 15<sup>th</sup> November 2006, please amend the above-identified application as below and consider the accompanying remarks: